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MEMORANDUM

TO: Directors/Coordinators, Exceptional Children Programs

FROM: William J. Hussey, Director *WJH*
Exceptional Children Division

Carol Ann M. Hudgens, Section Chief: Policy, Monitoring and Audit *CAH*
Exceptional Children Division

Sherri Vernelson, Section Chief, Sensory Support and Assisitive Technology *SV*
Exceptional Children Division

RE: **Technical Assistance Webinar – Policy Spotlight: Visual Impairment Technical Corrections**
January 24, 2018
10:00am – 11:00am

The Exceptional Children Division is hosting a technical assistance webinar to spotlight technical corrections made to the *NC Policies Governing Services for Children with Disabilities* regarding visual impairment eligibility requirements. The executive summary presented to the State Board of Education in November 2017 along with the Office of Special Education Programs (OSEP) Dear Colleague Letter is attached for your review.

The following EC Division staff will facilitate the webinar:

Carol Ann M. Hudgens, Section Chief: PMA
Sherri Vernelson, Section Chief: SSAT

Amy Campbell, Consultant for Visual Impairment
Crystal Patrick, Consultant for Visual Impairment

The webinar will be held on **Wednesday, January 24, 2018, from 10:00am – 11:00am.**

Please use the following link to register. You will receive log-in information for the webinar upon registration. Additionally, a link is also provided for you to ask questions related to the technical corrections that will be addressed during the webinar. Questions will be received until January 12, 2018.

Registration:	Click here to register for webinar
For Questions:	Click here to ask questions

The powerpoint with speaker notes will be posted to the EC Division website on the “Conferences, PD and Webinars” tab after this webinar is presented.

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